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SELECTIVE LIST OF RECENT ACQUISITIONS — OCTOBER 2010

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This is a selection of new books, articles, Wisconsin agency documents, and other resources on topics of current concern in state government received this month. Most items are available for 4-week loan. A complete list of new acquisitions is located at <http://lrbcat.legis.wisconsin.gov> under the heading “Recent Library Acquisitions.”

LRB PUBLICATIONS

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NOTEWORTHY NEW PUBLICATIONS

Barns of Wisconsin / Jerry Apps. 2010. HistS/b (library use only)

Directory of Wisconsin City and Village Officials / League of Wisconsin Municipalities Directory. Ref./352.16/L47/2010 (library use only)

Encyclopedia of Associations. Regional, State, and Local Organizations. Volume I, Great Lakes States / Gale Group. Ref./327/G13a/22nd ed./2010 (library use only)

Promoting Agricultural Health and Safety: A History of the National Farm Medicine Center, 1981-2006 / National Farm Medicine Center. 2006. 614.013/N212

ACQUISITIONS BY SUBJECT

APPRENTICESHIP

★ *Minorities and Women in Construction Trade Apprenticeships, Department of Workforce Development: An Evaluation* / Wisconsin Legislative Audit Bureau. September 2010. 374.66/W7j

ARMAMENTS

“Drone Warfare: Are Strikes by Unmanned Aircraft Ethical?” / Congressional Quarterly, Inc., *CQ Researcher*, August 6, 2010. 341.224/C762f

ATHLETICS

“Professional Football: Is the NFL Doing Enough to Protect Players?” / Congressional Quarterly, Inc., *CQ Researcher*, January 29, 2010. 175/C761g

AUDIT REPORTS

★ *Division of Gaming, Department of Administration: An Evaluation* / Wisconsin Legislative Audit Bureau. 174.6/W7o1/2010

★ *Justice Gateway Information System, Office of Justice Assistance: Letter Report* / Wisconsin Legislative Audit Bureau. September 2010. 028.3/W7a5

★ *Minorities and Women in Construction Trade Apprenticeships, Department of Workforce Development: An Evaluation* / Wisconsin Legislative Audit Bureau. September 2010. 374.66/W7j

CLIMATE CHANGE

★ *Corporate Views on Climate Change: A Survey of Wisconsin Business Executives* / Public Policy Forum (Milwaukee, Wis.). August 2008. 622.5/P96

★ – Available online through LRBcat: <http://lrbcat.legis.wisconsin.gov>

COUNTIES

“How County Administration and Finances Stack Up” / Wisconsin Taxpayers Alliance, *Wisconsin Taxpayer*, August 2010. 352.92/W753/2010/Aug.

CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION

“Challenging the Admission of Forensic Evidence”/ Amelia Bizzaro, *Wisconsin Lawyer*, September 2010, p.12-15+. 341.14/W75/2010/v.83/no.9 “A national study of our nation’s crime labs and the scientific validity of several commonly used forensic science disciplines questions the basis for several different forensic science disciplines. It makes sweeping recommendations for reform and calls for standardization, accreditation, and independence for the nation’s crime labs.”

☆ *Report and Recommendations of the Wisconsin DNA Task Force* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Justice, DNA Task Force. May 17, 2010.

DISABLED PERSONS

☆ *Report to Community* / Disability Rights Wisconsin. 361.7/W75a/2008

DIVORCE

☆ *Staff Memorandum to Members of the Special Committee on Review of Spousal Maintenance Awards in Divorce Proceedings* / Wisconsin Legislative Council, Special Committee on Review of Spousal Maintenance Awards in Divorce Proceedings. 2010. LegisCl/2009-2011/m-10 (library use only)

ECONOMICS

☆ *Wisconsin: Profile of the Green Economy* / National Governors’ Association, Center for Best Practices. [2010?]. 330/N21

ELECTRIC VEHICLES

“Charging Ahead” / Russell Nichols, *Governing*, July 2010, p.26-28. 321/C761/2010/v.23/no.10 “State and local governments are betting big that electric cars will drive the economy in a cleaner, greener direction. But will the needed investment in new infrastructure pay off?”

ELECTRONIC RECORDS

“New Electronic Discovery Rules: What You Need to Know”/ Richard J. Sankovitz, Jay E. Grenig, and William C. Gleisner III, *Wisconsin Lawyer*, July 2010, p.8-13+. 341.14/W75/2010/v.83/no.7 “Wisconsin’s new e-discovery rules provide a protocol for preserving and producing e-documents, create a safe harbor for electronically stored information lost solely as a result of routine computer operations, and more.”

FORESTRY

☆ *Staff Memorandum to Members of the Special Committee on Review of the Managed Forest Land Program* / Wisconsin Legislative Council, Special Committee on Review of the Managed Forest Land Program. 2010. LegisCl/2009-2011/m-11 (library use only)

☆ *Wisconsin Urban and Community Forestry Plan: Looking to the Future 2003-2007* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources. February 5, 2003.

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS

“Press Freedom: Should Partisan Bloggers Get Free-Press Protections?” / Congressional Quarterly, Inc., *CQ Researcher*, February 5, 2010. 323.2/C762b

GAMBLING

☆ *Division of Gaming, Department of Administration: An Evaluation* / Wisconsin Legislative Audit Bureau. 174.6/W7o1/2010

HOMELESS

☆ *Number of Students Identified as Homeless Reported by the School District on the ESEA Consolidated Application as of 2/10/10 Sorted by Alpha District Name* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction. 2010.

☆ *Number of Students Identified as Homeless Reported by the School District on the ESEA Consolidated Application as of 2/10/10 Sorted by CESA* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction. 2010.

★*Number of Students Identified as Homeless Reported by the School District on the ESEA Consolidated Application as of 2/10/10 Sorted by County* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction. 2010.

HOSPITALS

★*Wisconsin Health Care Data Report: Utilization and Charges, Hospitals and Freestanding Ambulatory Surgery Centers, Emergency Department Visits* / WHA Information Center. 614.07/W7m8/2008

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

★*Wisconsin Jobs 2010: Making Wisconsin Competitive Again* / Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce. April 13, 2010. 338.24/W751a

INSURANCE

★“Summary of Coverage Provisions in the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act” / Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation, *Focus on Health Reform*, April 28, 2010. 368.6/K12f

★“Supporting State Policymakers’ Implementation of Federal Health Reform” / National Academy for State Health Policy, *State Health Policy Briefing*, November 2009. 368.6/N214c

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LAND USE

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★*Transitioning From the Farmland Preservation Program to the Working Lands Initiative* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection. [2009?].

★*The Wisconsin Working Lands Initiative: Questions and Answers* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection. 2009.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

★*Justice Gateway Information System, Office of Justice Assistance: Letter Report* / Wisconsin Legislative Audit Bureau. September 2010. 028.3/W7a5

LEGISLATION

LegisBrief: Briefing Papers on the Important Issues of the Day / National Conference of State Legislatures. August/September 2010. 328/N21h/2010/v.18/no.32-37

v.18, no.32: “Healthy Communities: New Opportunities for Promoting Health”

v.18, no.33: “Evaluating School Principals”

v.18, no.34: “Planning for End-of-Life Care”

v.18, no.35: “Redistricting Technology”

v.18, no.36: “Fighting Colorectal Cancer”

v.18, no.37: “Hydrogen Fuel Cells: On-Site Energy Generation”

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★*Legislative Immunity in Minnesota* / Minnesota Legislature, Office of Senate Counsel and Research. 328.14/M6/2010

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LEGAL AID

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LIBRARIES

“The Library of Alexandria” / Caryle Murphy, *Carnegie Reporter*, Spring 2010, p.2-10. 366/C21a/2010/v.5/no.4

LIQUOR – REGULATION

“A Primer For Local Officials on Alcohol Licenses” / Claire Silverman, *The Municipality*, June 2010, p.190-195. 352.1/W75/2010/v.105/no.6

NATURAL DISASTERS

“Earthquake Threat: Is the U.S. Ready for a Seismic Catastrophe?” / Congressional Quarterly, Inc., *CQ Researcher*. April 9, 2010. 614.812/C761b

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

“Wisconsin’s Public Workforce” / Wisconsin Taxpayers Alliance, *The Wisconsin Taxpayer*, February 2010. 331.804/W75c

PUBLIC HEALTH

“Child Obesity: The Way Forward” / *Health Affairs*, March 2010. 614.23/P94/2010/v.29/no.3

PUBLIC LIABILITY

“Is Governmental Immunity the Exception or the Rule?” / Patrick C. Henneger, *Wisconsin Counties*, April 2010, p.12-14. 352.9/W75/2010/v.74/no.4

RENEWABLE ENERGY

“Earth, Wind, Fire, Water: States Look to Renewable Industry Jobs to Power New Economy” / Mikel Chavers, *Capitol Ideas*, May/June 2010, p.26-27. 029/C83b/2010/v.53/no.3

SALARIES

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★“A Critical Element of Reform of Milwaukee Public Schools: The Escalating Cost of Retiree Health Insurance” / Wisconsin Policy Research Institute, *Wisconsin Policy Research Institute Report*, December 2009, v.22, no.9. 371/W757a

★*Early Care and Education State Budget Actions* / National Conference of State Legislatures. 373.6/N214v/FY/2010

“Revising No Child Left Behind: Can Obama’s Blueprint Fix Bush’s Education Policies?” / Congressional Quarterly, Inc., *CQ Researcher*, April 16, 2010. 374.1/C761e

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WOMEN

★*Status of Women in Wisconsin Counties: A Research Blueprint* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin’s Women’s Council. 2006.

★*Wisconsin Women, Wages and the Recession* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin’s Women’s Council. 2010.

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★*Annual Report*. 622.6/C17/2009

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★*Biennial Report* [Internet site (Digital Archive)]. 2007-2009.

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★*Annual Report* [Internet site (Digital Archive)]. 1999-2008.

GREAT LAKES COMMISSION

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